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## REPORT OF WOMEN'S PRESBYTERIAL SESSION AT LETHBRIDGE

The Friday morning session of the convention of the W.M.S. Presbyterial of the United Church opened at 9:45 in Knox church with the second vice-president, Mrs. Horspool, in the chair. Mrs. Norton, of Coaldale, had charge of the devotional exercises and from her own experience as a missionary drew spiritual lessons of God's divine using of his followers.

Following the reading of the minutes reports were read by the various secretaries of departments, each bringing a fund of information and inspiration. Mrs. Galbraith spoke of the splendid results of the affiliation of the C.G.I.T. groups with the missionary society and stressed the necessity of a sympathetic relationship between the two societies.

Mrs. Marshall, of Lethbridge, brought a gospel message in song, which was a much enjoyed break in a strenuous business period.

This was followed with an address on the "Stewardship of Life," by Mrs. Lovering.

Stewardship means use or care of something that belongs to another and this suggests a text for us "We are not our own, we are bought with a price." The Bible is the sole source of our knowledge of the origin of life. Every hour of every day of our life throughout its varied periods is precious in the sight of Him who gave it. Our stewardship of life include life's accumulations, such as: knowledge, wisdom gained by experience, talents, money, time, friendships, business and social activities and advantages.

The Jerusalem Council brought in a resolution to endeavor to build up a complete Christian life in the Christian nations and in Christians. Large areas of the nation's life are not Christian—wickedness and unfair competition and greed rampant. The individual Christian has many reservations with "hands off" signs to be seen of God.

With one, she said, it is "money," another "business," yet another "dislike" and yet another it is "social activity," etc.

The faithful stewardship of life will warrant God's approval should have no reservations. A vision of the Christ and the powers of His spirit in the life will make us true stewards of Him who has called us to serve Him in love.

A bright and lively discussion filled in the remaining period of the morning session which adjourned after a brief prayer by Rev. Villet, of Pincher Creek.

Luncheon was served in the school room of the church and afforded a brief but jolly period of relaxation.

The afternoon session was opened at 1:30 with the president, Mrs. Brandon, in the chair. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Munroe, of Taber, Mrs. McIlwain, of Lethbridge, assisting. Business reports again were heard and discussed followed by the reports of the various committees.

Several resolutions were brought in and passed by the Presbyterial, these to be sent for confirmation to the conference branch to be held in May. The courtesy committee voiced the gratitude of all present for the services rendered by all who had taken any part in making the Presbyterial a success.

The election of officers followed and the delegates for the branch committee were also elected.

Rev. Roy Taylor, of First United church, Lethbridge, was present and duly installed the new officers.

The session closed with singing a hymn and prayer led Mrs. Brandon. This brought to a close the most inspiring and successful convention yet held by the W.M.S. Presbyterial.

Delegates were present from Pincher Creek, Coleman, Cowley, Murra, (Continued on back Page)

## PROVINCIAL HOCKEY FINALS STILL TIED UP

The Blairmore Seniors decisively defeated the Calgary Bronks, and qualified to enter the final play-offs for Alberta by a score for two games of 9 to 4.

The first game of the final, was played here on Monday night, with Edmonton Superiors as the opposing team. The game was one of the most keenly contested ever witnessed in the province and resulted in a tie one-one.

What was to be the final of the two-game series to bring out a winner took place at Edmonton last night, and this game ended also in a tie, with a score of four all at the end of playing time, Edmonton overcoming a two-goal lead during the closing minutes of the game and necessitating overtime play. Three overtime periods were played with neither team able to score and the third game has been ordered to take place in Calgary tomorrow (Friday) night, with MacKay, of Okotoks, as referee and Kelly, of Calgary, judge of play.

Monday night's game here was fast throughout, with a splendid exhibition of hockey being displayed by both teams. Really, Blairmore had the edge in speed and finish, but had difficulty in overcoming the fluke goal scored by the Superiors in the start of the game. Practically two full periods passed scoreless, Blairmore notching their tally in the last few minutes of the game.

The game was witnessed by upwards of 1600 fans, who were wild with excitement throughout.

Kelly and Barbour acted as referees.

A near riot occurred when a goal near the finish was scored by Fred McKay on a pass from Tony Veilprava, who was trapped by a number of the visiting players. Behind the Edmonton net was an Edmontonian who feebly raised his hand when the puck entered the net, but who just as readily dropped his hand when the puck shot out from the net, representing an opportunity to declare "no goal."

With fully ninety per cent of the audience in that end of the arena declaring that they witnessed the puck going in, nothing was left for those handling the game but to admit it.

In the intermediate play-off between Medicine Hat and Lacombe, Medicine Hat won out by a score of five to three, but we understand the intermediates are not taking advantage of their option of challenging the winners of the senior division this year, and this will mean that the winners of the Blairmore-Edmonton tilt at Calgary tomorrow night will enter the interprovincial play-offs for the Allan Cup against the B.C. winners.

Excitement in town last night ran high over the outcome of last night's game and no doubt there will be a large following of local fans make the journey to Calgary to boost the boys in the final game.

## COLEMAN LEGION, B.E.S.L., HAS BEEN RE-ORGANIZED

The Coleman Branch of the Canadian Legion, British Empire Service League, was re-organized last week.

The new officers are: Dr. R. P. Borden, president; Major R. F. Barnes, first vice-president; H. T. Halliwell, second vice-president; A. L. Watkins, C. J. Devine and J. Houghton, executive committee.

Capt George L. Hudson, provincial organizer, addressed the members briefly on the objects of the Legion and of its relation to the B.E.S.L., of which it is a unit.

After playing Medicine Hat a tie for two games and holding the third game to a tie till the last minute, Coleman lost out at the Hat on Monday night by one goal.

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## 49 DAYS FOR TAXES

When we read that the average Canadian works 49 days of the year to pay his taxes, we are disposed for a few minutes at least to scrutinize state expenditures more carefully and wonder if there are any hired hands that we could get along with out.

Grattan O'Leary in Maclean's magazine has his figures all worked out. The average income of Canadians gainfully employed is \$1500 a year. Out of this, \$214 goes for taxes, with \$145 to the dominion, \$36 to the provinces and \$33 to the municipalities.

Some of this tax paying is painless and automatic, more especially the toll to the Dominion government, but it is inescapable.

The only way in which it can be avoided is for a man to sit in another man's house, wear nothing, eat nothing, drink nothing and do nothing. The moment he dresses, eats, drinks, or stirs around outside, he begins to pay.

It is a process which begins with the registering of the infants birth certificate and ends with the 25 per cent on his imported coffin and imported tombstone (if imported as they often are). After death also, the succession duties of the province may have a fling.

There are 1200 commodities on the customs tariff alone. Nothing escapes. If you consume tea, there is an excise duty of 7 to 10 cents a pound, other staples accordingly. Every time you buy cigarettes for two bits, the minister of finance gets 15 cents. When you buy a car you pay 25 per cent to 28 per cent, duty which goes to the Dominion. The provinces then take their slice with the license, and 5 cent gas tax.

To be sure the people are demanding new services all of which cost money. In provinces and municipalities there are many new departments. In provincial taxes, more than half of present day expenditures go for items and services which did not exist a generation ago.

Maternity centres, infant welfare workmen's compensation, care of tuberculosis, scientific and industrial research, old age pensions. It is as Grattan O'Leary says, an age of "paternalism with a vengeance."

Putting it tersely, wage earners and salaried people, may figure that they work for the first 26 days of January for the Dominion, from then till February 10 for the municipality, and continue till February 19 giving up their wages to the province.

On February 19 they may commence working for themselves.—Ex.

## WHO DOES YOUR PRINTING?

All business houses need more or less printed matter, all of which is within the possibilities of the local printer. Yet, how prone many are to pass up the home printer and let the orders go to city offices which have no interest whatever in this community, except to get printing orders and the cash for them. Business men, remember that the home paper is constantly promoting the interests of the home community, and you owe it to yourself and your local paper to back up these efforts by at least having your printed matter done by your local printer.

The sincerest thanks of the local boys and their supporters are extended to a number of persons from Coleman and Bellevue who took occasion to attend the hockey game on Monday night and root for Edmonton.

## Local and General Items

In other days one was cautioned to save for a rainy day. Modern youth saves for a wet night.

Clareholm last week voted down new municipal hospital scheme by a vote of 829 to 500.

A grand old-time dance will be held in the Lundbreck hall on the night of Monday, March 17th (St. Patrick's).

You put the pay in "patron" with service that takes the cus out of "customer."

There are 338,000 miles of telegraph lines and about four million miles of telephone wires in Canada.

"Spud" Murphy, well known sport-rover of Macleod, attended the big hockey games here on Saturday and Sunday nights.

Shopkeepers are now obliged to use signs in their attempt to show lady kirts to ladies.

Mars will be the bright morning star in 1930 for the entire year. Jupiter will be evening star until June 20, and Saturn from then until the end of the year.

Miss Jessie McVey, who for a considerable time has served very efficiently as assistant at the local post office, left by Tuesday's local for Calgary, where she enters upon a business course.

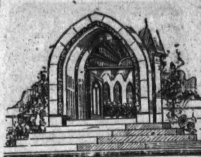
Do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of. Thrift of time will repay you in after life with a usury of profit beyond your most sanguine dreams, and that the vast of it will make you dwindle alike in intellectual and moral stature beyond your darkest reckoning.—Ex.

Mrs. Colin Genge died at Macleod on Sunday afternoon, aged 61 years. She was the widow of the late Col. Genge, M.P.P., and a daughter of the late John Ryan. She was born in England, came to Canada when a child, and to the Northwest Territories with her parents in 1883, making their home in Macleod. She leaves two sons and two daughters to mourn her loss. The remains were laid to rest at Macleod on Tuesday.

In one Ontario police court, a young man was sentenced to five years in jail for stealing chickens. In another police court, a father who strangled his two year old girl under fully with the buckle end of a strap because she was ill and couldn't eat got sixty days. If the chicken stealer was deserving of a five year sentence, then, according to the degree of crime the child beater should have suffered death by slow torture. Magistrates hardly don't see eye to eye.

A well known and highly respected citizen of Burnis appeared before court at Blairmore on Saturday, at the instigation of the mines inspector, charged with taking coal from a Burnis mine without having necessary mine's papers according to report, in spite of the fact that this man was in possession of written permission from the mine owner to extract several tons of coal "FOR HIS OWN PERSONAL USE AND NOT FOR SALE," and that he had employed a qualified miner to go into the mine and bring out the coal, the court saw fit to impose a penalty. This man was endeavoring to save a dollar—and the court got it.

One cannot be too grateful to such artists, as The Welsh Imperial Singers for reminding us of the great qualities of this wonderful old music and its masters. It would be difficult to over-praise the triumphant skill, the unfaltering taste, the insight, the delicate imaginative justice of the singers who interpreted yesterday their program of music. Their retrospect with nothing to speak of them, but delighted eulogy. They conquered their hearers as they always do, and were not permitted to rest from their labors until they had repeated various items on their list and added others.—Ex. The Welsh Imperial Singers are billed to appear at the Blairmore opera house on March 19th.



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Services Sunday, March 9th, the Pastor in charge—

11 a.m.—SENIOR SCHOOL, for Young People over 12.

2 p.m.—JUNIOR SCHOOL, for Children under 12.

7:30 p.m.—PUBLIC WORSHIP.

This will be a special Father and Son service. The senior boys will conduct the service. Two five minute talks by young men on the general subject, "A Boy's Problems." The pastor's reply will be "Safely First." The service is intended for men, and especially for fathers.

## Annual Easter Sale

The Ladies' Aid have set the date of their annual sale for April 17th. The Moose Hall has been engaged for the occasion. The ladies earnestly desire the sympathetic co-operation of all to help make this effort a great success.

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2 p.m.—Senior School, for young people over 12 years.

3 p.m.—Public Worship.

## INSTITUTE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The following books have been received and we take pleasure in acknowledging the same. Three books from Mr. John Battel, Mr. W. Turner, three books and thirteen from Mr. A. Gries.

Library hours, Tuesday and Saturday, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Every citizen of Blairmore is entitled to become a member on payment of \$1.00 membership fee.

## ALBERTA MOUTH

## HEALTH CAMPAIGN

An essay contest open to all school children in Alberta from Grade VII up is being conducted in connection with the province-wide Good Health Campaign under the auspices of the Canadian Dental Hygiene Council, working in co-operation with the provincial department of public health and education and the Alberta Dental Society.

For the purpose of this essay contest, the province has been divided into twenty-two districts, and a prize of ten dollars will be awarded for the best essay in each district. These prize-winning essays will then be submitted to the central committee at Edmonton and the one adjudged to be the best in the province will be awarded a further prize of twenty-five dollars.

The subject of the essay is "Mouth Health," which is the title of a new bulletin just issued by the provincial department of public health. Essays must not exceed 750 words in length.

The trustees of the Home Bank announce that towards the end of this year a dividend of five per cent will be paid, and an additional five per cent at the end of 1931.

Blairmore and Calgary juveniles played to a three-three tie in the second game of their series here last night, Calgary winning the round by a total score of nine to three. The local boys were out-weighted, but not out-gamed, and gave a good display of hockey last night despite the disadvantage. Bill Turner is coaching the team and has some promising material to supply the ranks of future junior and senior teams.

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## Local and General Items

People who make resolutions might do well to take a hint from the motorists and carry a spare.

Macleod is seriously considering the advisability of building a closed-in arena, to be municipally owned and supported by taxation.

In the recent municipal elections at St. John's, the number of votes cast cost the municipality two dollars each.

Kid Holland, who appeared here last summer, kayaked Jack Marsh in the third round at Drumheller last week.

In referring to the death of Eleanor Olson in our last issue, her age should have been given as twelve, instead of fourteen.

Forty-nine Fernites made the trip to Blairmore on Monday night for the big hockey game, and all enjoyed the game to the fullest. Blairmore heartily welcomed the visit of the "Fortyniners."

If Carnara cannot make good as a pile driver with the C.P.R., his services might be availed of by Pat Burns to knock out cattle. It is time the old-time method of the sledge hammer should be dispensed with.

Local hockey fans will be as much interested in the result of the B.C. playoffs between Trail and Vancouver tonight and Saturday as they will be over the Blairmore-Edmonton tilt at Calgary tomorrow night.

The promotion of Capt. R. F. Barnes, of Coleman, to the rank of major in command of the 18th Field Brigade, Canadian Artillery, of Lethbridge, is promulgated in militia orders posted at national headquarters at Ottawa last week.

The Dominion government will erect a post office building at Drumheller to cost in the neighborhood of \$30,000. Next in order should be Blairmore, where a similar building should be erected to house the post office, customs office, etc.

The darkest day in any man's earthly career is that wherein he first fancies that there is some easier way of gaining a dollar than by squarely earning it. He has lost the clue to his way through this mortal labyrinth and must henceforth wander as chance may dictate.—Ex.

"There's nothing the matter with you," said the physician scornfully to the effete-appearing young man. "All you need is plenty of exercise."

"I should say I am," retorted the gilded youth with some indignation. "I'm rolling my own cigarettes."

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Meets Second and Fourth Tuesdays at 8 p.m. in the Moose Hall. Visitors made welcome. C. J. Tompkins, Exalted Ruler; J. B. McLeod, Secretary.

### WHEAT POOL GUARANTEE COST NOT OVER \$1,500,000

Edmonton, February 23.—The new pool guarantee bill, introduced in the Alberta legislature, in return for security by pool in shape of assets estimated at \$2,500,000, guarantees banks for advances to organizations that are estimated to cost the province not more than \$1,500,000.

If Canada's total wheat crop was 300,000,000 bushels, and if the amount for export was 240,000,000 bushels with the wheat pools handling half the export crop on a basis of two-thirds handled by the Saskatchewan pool, and one-third divided between Alberta and Manitoba, a drop of ten cents below the dollar a bushel price would not obliterate Alberta for over \$1,000,000, leaving, after deducting the Alberta wheat pool's security guarantee of \$2,500,000, a net liability to the province of \$1,500,000.

This is the statement made by Premier Brownlee in the Alberta legislature on Thursday, when speaking of the wheat pool guarantee bill in committee, before moving first reading of the bill.

The bill provides that the province of Alberta will, in return for security given to it by the Alberta wheat pool in the shape of assets estimated to total \$2,500,000 if realized, guarantee the banks for such advances made to the wheat pool on account of last year's crop.

It is agreed between the province and the banks, that in view of the provincial guarantee thus given, the banks will forego the requirements of the 15 per cent. margin undertaken by the pools, in view of the fact that the province thus guarantees the banks against ultimate loss.

Alberta's bill is introduced in the house at the same time, and in the same form as, similar bills in the legislatures of Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and the liability of this province is limited to the guarantee covering such proportion of the total wheat handled by the central selling agency of the pools, as was handled by the Alberta wheat pool.

### WAYNE MINERS OPPOSE NEW MINES BILL

At a meeting of the employees of the Ideal Coal Company, held at Wayne on Sunday, February 23rd, the following resolution was unanimously endorsed:

"Be it resolved that we the employees of Ideal Coal Company, Ltd., of Wayne, Alberta, strongly condemn the proposed amendments to the Alberta Mines Act, insofar as they are to the detriment of the miners and which amendments seem to be taken mainly from the suggestions of the coal operators."

A copy of this resolution was ordered to be immediately dispatched to Premier Brownlee and also a copy of the following resolution passed recently at a mass meeting of the miners held in Drumheller:

"Be it resolved that we the miners of the Drumheller Valley take strong exception to the proposed amendments to the Mines Act, as read before this meeting, and ask that the Alberta Mines Act be revised with a view to help the miner obtain a better standard of living instead of the present semi-starvation and unemployment that exists throughout the coal fields of Alberta at this time."

The foregoing resolutions are very interesting in view of the great amount of discussion and the various conferences which have been held at Edmonton and other points in connection with the amendments to the Alberta Mines Act, which will be dealt with by the members of the provincial legislature at the present sittings.

Air mail between Calgary and Winnipeg went into effect on Monday of this week. The trip between the two cities occupies nine hours. The rates of postage are five cents for first ounce and ten cents for each additional ounce. Letters must be marked "Via Air Mail" in as distinct a manner as possible.

### SUBVENTION ON ALBERTA COAL BEING SOUGHT

Advices from Ottawa indicate that the Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, gave a sympathetic hearing on March 3 to a delegation of Alberta steam coal operators seeking a subvention on coal from this province and eastern British Columbia.

What is sought is one-fifth of a cent per ton mile for all bituminous coal shipped from these points and sold east of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan boundary.

It was urged that the conditions in the mines are far from satisfactory and that considerable unemployment prevails. The capital investment is placed at from \$30,000,000 to \$10,000,000 and supports a population of approximately 20,000. It is sought to replace in Manitoba a population now imported from the United States.

Figures were given to show that of 1,820,288 tons consumed in the west less than three per cent was furnished by Canadian producers. It was urged that the expenditure would be about \$850,000 and the concession to Nova Scotia was mentioned as a precedent.

The minister discussed the subject with the delegation for some time and promised to lay their representations before the cabinet, they were introduced by G. G. Coote, M.P. for Macleod, and included O. E. Whitesides, of the International Coal and Coke Company; J. R. Smith, of the Western Canadian Collieries; J. Q. Dunn, of the Mountain Park Company, Edmonton, and Howard Stutchbury, of the Alberta government service. Messrs. McPhee and MacKenzie, Saskatchewan M. P.'s. attended.—Lethbridge Herald.

### THREE REASONS FOR SUCCESS

If, as Ottawa claims, 4,000,000 American tourists crossed the border into Canada last year and spent \$75 each while in this country, this is one profitable "deal" we make with our dear uncle and one that he does not charge us 100 per cent duty on.

If Canadians would only spend fifty per cent of the money on Made-in-Canada goods that they now spend on imported goods, there would be created fully 100,000 more jobs in Canada, and these jobs would help wonderfully to keep the home fires going in this good country of ours.

If business executives and labor union executives would only get together and set around a conference table, and take each other into their confidence, without resorting to harsh words, we are sure that during the year 1930 there would be no losses in Canada through strikes. We believe Canadians generally are sympathetic to each other and the spirit of co-operation for the benefit of all would prevail if each made an honest endeavor.—Labor Leader (Toronto).

### CHASING RAINBOWS HAS MUSICAL HITS

Five song hits from the pianos of seven of America's most popular composers provide the tuneful background of "Chasing Rainbows," musical extravaganza which will be at Cole's theatres at Hillcrest for Friday and Saturday and at Bellevue for night and Monday, with Charles King and Bessie Love in the featured roles. "Everybody Tap" its into a huge dancing ensemble with Miss Love singing and dancing the number with the trained chorus of two hundred boys and girls. "Luck Me, Loveable You" is the love song sung by Charles King and Miss Love and "Happy Days Are Here Again" is the musical setting for the finale spectacle, filmed in technicolor.

Jack Dempsey, former world's heavyweight champion has announced definitely that he would fight again for the championship in the event that Max Schmeling should defeat Jack Sharkey in June and provided Dempsey can reach fighting condition again. Dempsey says he believes Schmeling is over-rated and that Sharkey can defeat the German.

### BAPTISTE AT THE BUNSPIEL

De noder day a friend of mine,  
He say "Bateese" to me,  
"W'y den' you go upon de rink  
For see bospie!" say he;  
"Dere's plenty chair for sit upon,  
De place she's nice and warm,"  
And so at las' I tak I go,  
She can't do me no harm.

Wall, dat is de mos' foolish game  
I never yet did see,  
For all dey men was yell so loud  
I tink dey go craze.  
"Dey have de stone like big spetoon  
An' shove it wit' der hign'  
But w'y dey get so much excite  
I can not understand."

De man down at de noder en,  
Ees put nees broom down—so,  
An den he yell "Now tak dat ice!"  
Dat's foolish ting you know;  
He can not tak de ice away.  
She's frozen down so hard,  
But still he yell "Yes, tak her out,  
I do not want de gard."

An see dem feller sweep de broom  
For w'y I can not tell,  
Dere is no dirt upon de ice;  
An' den some feller yell  
"Yes! Hold her up!"—say w'at he mean?

Madam's not here at all,  
An' man'selle in de gallerie,  
I do not see her fall.

All sort of feller play dat game,  
Dere's some dat's t'in and long,  
An' some dat's maybe short an' stout,  
An' some dat's pretty strong;  
But when dey yell de stout man's "wide"

An' man dat's long and tall  
"He's narrow, sure," I do not tink  
I stan' for dat at all.

I wonder w'at dat name she mean;  
Well, "bon" in French she's "good,"  
An' "spiel" in Scotch for mak beeg talk.

Dat's w'at I understood,  
I s'pose she's sort of half-breed name,  
I s'pose de way I feel—  
I watch dat game for two, three night—  
I tink she's mostly "spiel"

### TOWN KILLERS

People who kill a town:  
Those who oppose improvements.  
Those who run it down to strangers.

Those who distrust public-spirited men.  
Those who never advertise their business.

Those who show no hospitality to any one.  
Those who hate to see others make money.

Those who oppose every movement that doesn't originate with themselves.

Those who put on an extra long face when a stranger talks of locating in their town.

Those who oppose every public enterprise that does not appear to be of personal benefit to themselves.

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## ESTIMATES FOR DOMINION REACH LARGE TOTAL

Ottawa.—At the opening of the afternoon sitting of the House of Commons the estimates were introduced. Hon. C. A. Dunning immediately moved that they be referred to the committee of supply.

The total amount provided is \$339,525,101.87, as compared with \$404,245,140.46 for the current fiscal year, a decrease of \$4,887,038.59.

The principal increases are on account of aviation, public works, income, pensions and national health, postoffice, public works capital and marine department capital.

The services showing the largest decrease are interest on public debts, immigration and colonization, soldier and general land settlement, and river service, railways and canals capital and adjustment of war claims.

Public works income is included at \$25,139,570, an increase of \$2,204,081. The requirements of the post office are set at \$97,338,369, an increase of \$2,149,730, mainly for salaries and mail service by air.

The provision for public works capital is \$26,269,000, an increase of \$1,700,000, occasioned by larger items for the national research council laboratories, Burlington Channel improvements, the lower lakes terminal at Prescott, and channel improvements in the upper St. Lawrence river.

An amount of \$5,500,000 is provided for the capital requirements of the marine department. This is an increase of \$1,522,295 over the current year, covering increased estimates for the river St. Lawrence ship channel and the maintenance of the Sorel shipyard.

The amount required to pay interest on public debt of the Dominion is \$119,353,478, a decrease under the amount for the current year of \$2,527,014, reflecting the effect of payment of funded debt from current revenues.

The expenses connected with ocean and river service are estimated at \$4,015,550, a decrease of \$2,254,894, due to appropriations of the current fiscal year which are not required for 1930-31.

The estimate for railways and canals capital is \$10,279,500, a decrease of \$3,174,943, due to smaller requirements for the Hudson Bay Railway and the Welland ship canal.

The total provision for adjustment of war claims is \$622,500, a decrease of \$6,222,820 under the requirements for the current fiscal year, caused by the smaller amount required for payment of claims for losses sustained by the civil population of Canada during the Great War.

The estimate of the amount required to pay pensions on account of the Great War is \$4,000,000. Provision is made under railways and canals capital for a new car ferry between Prince Edward Island and the mainland \$2,500,000, Hudson Bay Railway and terminals \$3,900,000 and Welland ship canal \$7,600,000.

The large items under public works capital are for the Confederation building \$1,200,000, the National Research Council laboratories \$1,500,000, Burlington channel improvements \$1,000,000, and the lower lakes terminals at Prescott \$3,100,000.

Public works income includes items for the postal terminal building at Montreal, \$400,000; Toronto customs house, \$1,500,000; Calgary public building \$1,000,000 and addition to the Edmonton public building, \$400,000, and Saskatoon public building, \$445,000.

The department of fisheries is planning to invest in the fisheries of Hudson Bay. Estimates tabled in the House of Commons provide the sum of \$65,000 for this purpose. This is a new vote.

## Australia Recalls Trade Commissioner

Government Displeased By Speech He Made In Report

Sydney, Aus.—Australia's trade commissioner at Ottawa, R. A. Haynes, has been recalled by the Commonwealth Government as a result of a speech delivered in Canada, it is understood.

The Australian Government is said to have been displeased by alleged references of Mr. Haynes to more preferential conditions in Canadian industry than in Australian industry.

The Federal Government is said to have considered that such utterances were harmful to the commonwealth's prestige abroad.

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## Asks Tighter Motor Laws

Bill Introduced In Federal House By T. L. Church

Ottawa, Ont.—"Tits and runs" driving especially will be subject to drastic punishment if a bill introduced in the House of Commons by T. L. Church (Cons., Toronto Northwest), becomes law.

The penalty of death for murder is proposed for causing the death of any person by reckless or negligent or furious driving and failure to render aid and reporting the accident.

Two years' imprisonment, or a fine or both fine and imprisonment, are suggested for reckless driving.

Five years' imprisonment and a fine for driving an automobile in a manner dangerous to the public and thereby causing an accident are proposed.

Five years' imprisonment and a fine for failing to stop and render aid and particulars as to ownership of car when an injury is caused by dangerous driving are suggested.

## BRISKER DEMAND FOR POOL WHEAT IS ANTICIPATED

Montreal.—As a result of conferences held in London between representatives of the Wheat Pools, the British Government and the British Milling Association, there is the strongest reason to believe that purchases of Canadian wheat in future will not only be increased but will be made in an orderly manner covering the crop year.

A. J. McPhail and W. A. McLeod, the Wheat Pool representatives who conferred with the British Government and the Milling Association, declined to be quoted in regard to their mission. Neither would they issue any statement except a brief note dealing with the conferences with Rt. Hon. J. A. Thomas. This note is couched in very definite language.

Informally, it was learned that the conference in London failed to achieve the results entertained by Mr. Thomas while in Canada last autumn. Mr. Thomas had a plan whereby the export movement of wheat to Great Britain could be regulated. In the past the export of wheat has been irregular. There have been very heavy outward movements in some months and practically none at all in other months. In this more than 60 per cent of the grain has been carried in tramp ships, which carried little or no cargo other than wheat.

Mr. Thomas was inclined to believe that if the British Government built large storage elevators in England a steady movement of wheat from Canada could be assured. This would tend to provide freight liners with cargo the year around and might go far to solve one of the greatest obstacles in the way of increased trade between the United Kingdom and Canada. He believed a steady western movement of freight might be built up if the eastward grain traffic was regulated.

It is understood that in the preliminary discussions between Mr. Thomas and the officials of the wheat pools last autumn, the officials were rather dubious of the scheme. They pointed out, it is believed, that they did not favor sending wheat abroad on consignment, unsold. They preferred to sell the wheat before it left American ports.

In the discussions which took place in London, it is understood that this view prevailed, and that Mr. Thomas has abandoned all intention of building storage elevators in the United Kingdom.

The discussions, however, revealed that the objective might be achieved in another way. It was felt that if the British Milling Association, which controls more than 90 per cent of the milling industry in Great Britain, and is, therefore, the largest importer, would undertake to buy Canadian wheat steadily instead of entering the market only from time to time and buying heavily—it was felt that this could be brought about the desired result would follow.

To that end it is understood that Mr. Thomas, after holding several consultations with the wheat pool representative, met the Milling Association. Finally there was a joint meeting between Mr. Thomas, the Milling Association and the wheat pool officials. The outcome, it is believed, was an informal agreement.

The Milling Association in future will endeavor to import Canadian wheat steadily.

This explains the statement made by Mr. Thomas to the effect that the conference with the wheat pool probably will have beneficial effect upon British Canadian Trade.

## Insurance For Canada's Unemployed Predicted

Premier King Hopes Plan Will Soon Be Worked Out

Ottawa, Ont.—Eventually Canada will have a system of unemployment insurance, Premier Mackenzie King predicted in replying to a question asking Federal aid to municipalities and provinces on unemployment relief. This, he said, was the only constructive way to deal with the unemployment situation and he hoped it would soon be possible to work out an insurance plan.

Seasonal measures in the way of relief and public works were of no permanent assistance, and an insurance plan offered the only constructive way of avoiding distress. Under that those who expected relief and those who employed them would be compelled to contribute to a fund during their periods of employment, and would receive benefits when out of work.

While efforts had apparently been made by Mayor Webb, of Winnipeg, pursuant to the decisions of the recent conference on unemployment in the Manitoba capital, to secure representation from all parts of the country on the delegation which recently presented the case for unemployment relief, it was significant that only the large cities of Western Canada were represented.

## Left Fortune To Charity

Late W. F. Alloway Bequeaths Huge Amount To Foundation

Winnipeg.—The Winnipeg Foundation, a charitable institution, is bequeathed \$1,200,000 by the will of the late Mr. W. F. Alloway, who left an estate of \$1,244,000. The sum of \$216,000 is set aside for the purpose of paying the income to certain relatives of Mr. Alloway and his personal servant. On the death of each beneficiary the income reverts to the Foundation.

During his lifetime Mr. Alloway made gifts to relatives which are said to total \$100,000. Mr. Alloway died on February 2.

Mrs. Alloway, who died in November, 1926, left her estate, amounting to \$733,881, to the Foundation. The gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Alloway to the Foundation now total \$2,000,000.

## Seeking Speed Record

British Racing Motorist Aims At 250 Miles An Hour

Southampton, England.—The noted British racing motorist, Kaye Don, sailed on the "Berengaria" for New York, en route to Daytona, Fla., where he will attempt to set a new speed record with his secretly constructed "Silver Bullet" machine.

"I have every confidence in my car," he said before sailing. "I hope within a month to establish a mark which—with a little luck—may be 250 miles an hour."

## MAKES IMPORTANT DISCOVERY



Dr. J. B. Collip, chairman of the Department of Bio-chemistry at McGill University, and co-worker with Dr. F. G. Banting, in discovery of insulin, who has succeeded in isolating a gland extract of great value in relieving certain disorders.

## Safeguard Canadian Wheat

Proposes Tax On Export Wheat Going Into United States

Ottawa.—With the view to preventing the mixing of Canadian wheat exported through United States ports, J. G. Ross, (Liberal, Moose Jaw), presented a resolution in the House of Commons calling for a tax of 10 cents per bushel to be paid when the wheat entered the United States, and rebated when exported from an American port. The tax, he suggested, might be paid either in cash or by filing a bond and the rebate would be conditional upon the wheat being up to Canadian standards on leaving the United States.

There was no doubt, Mr. Ross contended, that mixing Canadian wheat with American wheat and with lower grades was being carried on in the United States. He wanted some provision to safeguard the value of the Canadian certificates issued by the board of grain commissioners. This could only be done by inspection at the time the wheat left the United States.

Furthermore, he said, the measure would tend to place Canadian ports in a better competitive position. Restrictions now placed on the handling in Canada with the effect of discriminating against Canadian channels and Canadian ports. The resolution was finally withdrawn but will come up again in the agriculture committee.

## Risk To Evade Impending Law

London, England.—The Daily Mail in a despatch from Calcutta, said that a bride of three years and a groom of seven had been married at Chinnura, nearby, to escape impending operation of the anti-child marriage act. The mother carried her baby girl to the ceremony. The despatch said the rush to evade the act continued unabated, most of the couples being aged between nine and 12 years.

## Royal York Addition



Outlined in above cut is shown the addition of 160 rooms to the Royal York Hotel, which even before this enlargement was the largest and tallest in the British Empire. It brings the total number of special suites in the hotel from 62 to 88 and increases the number of rooms to 1,164. The addition rises twenty-one stories above the mezzanine floor bringing it into conformity with the height of the rest of the building, except, of course, the tower.

The new wing will be ready for occupation by June, in time for the monster Shriners' convention slated to be held at the Royal York and to accommodate which a town of sleeping cars and marquees, entitled "Pee City," was erected by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

## Well Known In Canada

Cardinal Merry del Val Dies At Vatican After Operation

Rome.—Cardinal Merry del Val, former papal secretary of state and in recent years archbishop of St. Peter's, died from heart failure after an operation for appendicitis.

Cardinal Merry del Val was secretary of state under Pope Pius X. He was particularly well known in Canada. In 1906 he proceeded as papal delegate to Canada to report on the adjustment of claims of the Canadian bishops as to separate schools in Manitoba. He was protector of some religious orders in Canada, among them the Sisters of Charity, known as the Grey Sisters of Canada. Cardinal Merry del Val was one of the most distinguished figures in the modern history of the papacy. He was made a cardinal in 1903 at the comparatively early age of 38 and forthwith was created secretary of state to Pope Pius X.

The cardinal was of noble Spanish birth. His father was Spanish ambassador to the court of St. James when the future cardinal was born in London, in 1868.

## COMPULSORY POOL PLAN MEETS WITH APPROVAL

Saskatoon.—Farmers of Saskatchewan—Canada's greatest wheat-growing province—went on record as favoring compulsory pooling of commodities. After a long series of debates, United Farmers of Canada (Saskatchewan section), gave almost unanimous approval to a compromise resolution presented by the board of directors.

By the resolution, directors of the farmers are ordered to "stand ready to work with the Wheat Pool board of directors or the directors of any other pool in requesting that there be placed in the statute books of Saskatchewan an act known as the Primary Products Act, whereby the growers of any commodity may obtain control of the marketing of all that commodity grown in the province."

Only three dissenting votes marked unavailability of support, according to the statement of the publicity committee, given out after the convention had made its decision behind closed doors. The approved resolution stated that it is expedient that the producers should be able at all times to express their opinion on and obtain, if they so desire, 100 per cent commodity marketing control of all or any primary product.

Details of the manner in which the proposed Primary Products Act would be worked are not contained in the finally-carried resolution. The details, it specifies, are to be dealt with by a committee appointed by the producers and by the boards of the United Farmers of Canada, and the Commodity Pool concerned. A board resolution published in the "Delegates' Handbook," outlining possible legislation, was not given approval.

According to this resolution, later substituted in the convention, petition by one-fifth of the producers of any commodity would bring a government plebiscite among such producers as to whether they desired compulsory pooling. Should the vote result in two-thirds of the vote cast favor law-enforced 100 per cent pooling, the commodity would be declared a commodity under the Primary Products Act. At a date set by the government, commodity producers would elect delegates or directors to control marketing of the commodity in question.

While no specific provision is mentioned in the approved resolution, it is generally considered that first compulsory-pool activity will be toward marketing all grain grown in Saskatchewan through the wheat pool. Directors of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, with whom the U.F.C. directors must "stand ready to act," have declared no definite stand. President A. J. McPhail has spoken against the compulsory pool, but L. C. Brouillette, vice-president, is an avowed adherent.

Formation of a compulsory wheat pool in Saskatchewan—which, of course, would have to be preceded by legislation and by a two-thirds vote of the province's wheat producers—would mean that some 60 per cent of all Canada's wheat crop would be handled by the Saskatchewan pool. In the 1928-29 season, the Canadian Pools handled 255,000 bushels of a total Canada wheat crop of 547,000 bushels—and of the pool total some 157,000 bushels were raised in Saskatchewan.

A new type of cactus has been found in South America with long slender leaves resembling snakes.

## CONFERENCE ON ARMAMENTS WILL BE CONTINUED

London, England.—Premier MacDonald, questioned in the House of Commons whether he expected to arrive at any international agreement for naval disarmament, replied emphatically, "certainly."

The premier told questioners that the policy of the British Government at the naval conference looked to the eventual disappearance of battleships. The British stand, added, however, that this aim would have to be attained by international agreement.

"We cannot go one pound of avoirdupois beyond what the other powers are prepared to do," he said.

London.—Pending return of the French delegation to the five-power naval conference, representatives of Great Britain, Japan and the United States will try to settle themselves principally with differences between their governments in which France is least interested.

The United States and Japanese delegations, for instance, can proceed far with negotiations for settlement of Japan's claim for a 70 per cent auxiliary vessel ratio with the United States, with probability that the claim will be settled eventually with a compromise.

Between the United States and Great Britain there is still outstanding the matter of the United States claim for the right to build a new super-dreadnaught such as the British "Rodney" as a means of bringing parity with the British. Paris claims already agreed upon.

Any conclusions reached will be tentative, it has been stressed, since there is no desire to present a returning French delegation with a fait accompli of the form on an Anglo-American-Japanese agreement, and since, it is stated, the goal of the conference remains a five-power treaty not a three-power pact.

Decision of the delegation chiefs to continue the talks with its activities of course greatly limited without the French and, pending their return, had the effect of heartening the delegations and creating a better atmosphere than has prevailed formerly.

Another ten days or two weeks without the French was, expected here. There was, it was felt here, no assurance Mr. Tardieu would be able to solve the Paris crisis satisfactorily. In such case, of course, the situation would be rendered more difficult than ever, with no clearly outlined majority grouping possible in the French chamber.

## Nine Lose Lives In Fire

Mother Superior and Eight Children Perish In Northern School

The Pea.—Eight Indian pupils and a mother superior of the Cross Lake School, 125 miles northwest of here, were burned to death when fire raged through their school several days ago, according to word relayed in here by Indian runners.

Only meagre details of the tragedy were brought in. It is not known how the fire originated. The Cross Lake School was a stone structure, and was valued at \$30,000.

It is thought the fire started on the third floor of the building, in the west part of the main section, where the Indian girls were quartered.

The sister superior died in a brave attempt to lead some of the children through the flaming building to safety. All of the children who perished were under nine years of age.

## Last Rites Held For Hon. P. C. Larkin

Ashe of Canadian High Commissioner Interred In Toronto Cemetery

Toronto.—Lacking the customary ceremony attached to funerals of most prominent men, the remains of the Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner, at London, England, were quietly interred at St. James cemetery, February 25. A short service was conducted at St. Paul's church, and at its conclusion the ashes of the High Commissioner were carried in a small silver casket to the cemetery.

In accord with his wishes, only immediate relatives attended the services.

## Regrets Illegal Seizure

Washington, D.C.—The United States has expressed its regrets to Canada for illegal seizure of the motor boat P. P. in the St. Clair River last September. The seizure took place in Canadian waters.



